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SUBJECT: FAA ASSISTANCE TO NIGERIAN CIVIL AVIATION

REF: LAGOS 4264

1. FAA HAS REVIEWED MOT STATEMENT OF TERMS OF REFERENCE IN REFTTEL AND IS AGREEABLE TO UNDERTAKING NIGERIA CIVIL AVIATION SURVEY SUBJECT TO PRIOR EXECUTION OF SUITABLE AGREEMENT.

2. EITHER AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN FAA/ MOT WITH MOT MAKING DIRECT PAYMENTS FROM THEIR OWN RESOURCES TO FAA OR AN AID/ FAA PASA IS ACCEPTABLE ALTERNATIVE FORMAT TO FAA. HOWEVER, WISH REITERATE AID STRONG PREFERENCE FOR FMG FUNDING. PER PARA 2 REF (STATE 49726) AID WILLING CONSIDER FUNDING THIS STUDY ONLY REPEAT ONLY AFTER POSSIBILITY OF DIRECT MOT OR BLOC GRANT FINANCING FULLY EXPLORED WITH FMG.

3. FAA ANTICIPATES FIVE- MAN TEAM COULD BE FIELDDED WITHIN 60 DAYS AND REPORT SUBMITTED 180 DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF FUNDED AGREEMENT. ESTIMATE 16 MAN MONTHS IN NIGERIA INCLUDING LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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LIAISON TRAVEL BY FAA HQ PERSONNEL. IMPORTANT BUT INFORMAL FACET OF FAA ACTIVITIES WILL BE EFFORT TO IDENTIFY EQUIPMENT REQUIRED BY THE CIVIL AVIATION SECTOR.

4. MOT WOULD REIMBURSE FAA ON BASIS BILLINGS FOR ITS ACTUAL EXPENDITURES. ESTIMATE TOTAL BILLINGS DOLS 98,000.
5. SHOULD FMG ELECT TO FURNISH AIR TRANSPORTATION FROM US TO LAGOS AND RETURN, AFOREMENTIONED TOTAL REIMBURSEMENT OR PASA COST WOULD BE REDUCED BY APPROXIMATELY DOLS 11,000 TO ESTIMATED DOLS 87,000. A FURTHER REDUCTION OF ABOUT DOLS 20,000 TO AN ESTIMATED TOTAL OF DOLS 67,000 WOULD BE EFFECTED IF THE MOT WERE TO TAKE DIRECT RESPONSIBILITY FOR PAYMENT OF DAILY SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCES EQUIVALENT TO 36 US DOLLARS PER MAN.
6. AFOREMENTIONED ESTIMATES ASSUME MOT WILL PROVIDE DIRECTLY FOR TEAMS OFFICE SPACE AND OPERATIONS AND OFFICIAL TRANSPORTATION WITHIN NIGERIA.
7. REQUEST EMBASSY DISCUSS FAA OFFER WITH MOT AND REPORT ITS REACTIONS AND CONCLUSIONS REGARDING FINANCING OF STUDY.
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